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TELEGRAPHIC.

BATTELTON, August 10.

Repaired Harrington of Saskatoon is in town. Going back to-day.

Rule Allen gave a second performance last night to a crowded house.

A social for the benefit of the Presbyterian church is being held to-night.

Inspector South left here yesterday for Melton, to which place he has been transferred from here.

Dr. Patterson and party arrived here Monday afternoon from Edmonton. On Tuesday and Wednesday they visited Cattle Creek, and to-morrow they proceed to Prince Albert by stage.

A dance was given on Tuesday evening by the amateur club, which was a grand success. The music was supplied by the town band of 14 instruments and dancing was under a large tent illuminated by Chinese lanterns.

BATTELTON, August 14.

Rule Allen is with us yet.

Mrs. McDowell went out with Saturday's stage.

It has been raining steadily since early morning.

Asa Chisholm, M. L. A. leaves to-morrow for Regina.

Inspector Bureau of the N.W.M.P. arrived here to-day to relieve Inspector South. Louis Pined, agent at Moose, who has been sent for the last two months on a holiday returned with to-day's stage.

Winnipeg, August 14.

What is going up in price.

There are fifteen cases of cholera at New York.

Henry Irving and Ellen Terry passed through Winnipeg yesterday.

Sir Oliver Mowat will be in Winnipeg this week and will address a meeting.

17 people were killed and 40 injured in a railway accident that occurred at Poltyside, England.

There is a row in the Dominion government. Costigan has thrown up the fisheries department, because of interference by young Tupper. Howell has taken charge of it.

A two million dollar fire occurred in Minneapolis yesterday, and but for a change in the wind the entire city might have been wiped out.

It was announced in the pulpit at St. John yesterday that according to a cable dispatch received, Queen Victoria had been stricken with paralysis. No confirmation yet to hand.

Mon on Manitoba & Northwestern railway have decided not to strike, until Tuesday, pending the decision of the court in Winnipeg as to whether the railway shall pay them up back wages or not.

LOCAL.

Five of the five tanks are in place. Rooms are good all over the district now.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor of Lake St. Ann is a guest at Mrs. Daly's.

A carpenter and his wife are in prison in J. A. McDougall's garden.

The Northwest assembly has been called for the dispatch of business on August 17th.

Mrs. A. E. Johnston and children and Mrs. John Taylor arrived from Calgary on Thursday's train.

R. Hargrave has removed his barber shop from two doors east of the Gas House to Carpenter & Vaudin's building next to Ross' Bros. hardware store.

W. T. Hargrave & Co. removed their goods' furnishings store on Saturday to the building adjoining P. Ross' drug store near the post office.

Karna & Goodman, heavy stable keepers have dissolved partnership. Dr. True has purchased Mr. Kelly's interest and the business will be conducted under the firm name of Goodman & True.

Notice is posted up in the post office giving Jan. Jones 60 days from August 8th, to show cause why his homestead entry for the southwest quarter of section 22, tp. 22, range 24 should not be cancelled.

The government telegraph service is advertising for tenders for oats to be delivered at Edmonton, Victoria, Saddle Lake, Moose and Ft. 600 bushels at each place. Tenders to be in by September 19th.

HARVESTING has commenced in Manitoba. When the late spring in Manitoba is considered, such an early harvest can only mean a light crop. When the Edmonton farmers begin to cut in a week or two there will be some big yields to report.

A PRAIRIE fire started south of Olds in the first week of August. This is strong evidence as to the climatic difference between the country south of Red Deer over and the Saskatchewan valley where the grass is still the greenest of the green.

Dr. A. F. Ibbotson, surgeon dentist, late of Montreal, Quebec. Student of McGill and New York dental colleges has come to Edmonton to practice dentistry and is now ready and fully equipped and will be pleased to see any who may call and give his best attention to all who will favor him with a share of his patronage.

On last Thursday the Hon. T. M. Daly arrived at Calgary in his private car Ottawa. He stopped off at Battle River, and in company with the Indian Commissioner Hargrave, passed through the Indian reserve and through Wainwright to Edmonton, reaching here about 4 o'clock Friday evening. Deputy minister A. M. Burgess, W. Pierce, inspector of mines and the Hon. T. M. Daly's son, came through on the same car which was attached to Thursday's train. On Friday the minister drove to St. Albert where he was presented with an address. Last night Mr. Daly crossed over to the South side, when he was waited upon by a deputization with regard to building a direct road to Beaver Lake. A banquet will be given in his honor to-night at the Alberta hotel by the Liberal conservative association. Dr. Wilson will preside.

THE train is reported two hours and half late and bringing 1 car salt, 1 car merchandise, 1 car wheat and 3 cars sundries.

A PARTY of Jasper House half breeds are in town to interview the minister of the interior in connection with scrip which was issued to them and which they have as yet not obtained.

A MEETING of the agricultural society of which the mayor is president is to be held at his office on Thursday next, to arrange about the forwarding of a car of exhibits to the west, and discuss the sending of two delegates with it.

According to a Canadian Pacific official, the tourist trade to the World's fair has been a miserable fizzle and instead of being a hundred per cent better than last year's trade, as expected, it will be but a hundred per cent worse. The hotel people who have laid out money along the line in view of increased business are bitterly disappointed.

PEOPLE in Edmonton and surrounding country who have passed the High School entrance examination, and wish to continue their studies, will find it to their interest to attend the Edmonton public school, as most of the subjects required for entrance into law or medicine, for second and third class teachers' certificates, and for university matriculation, as well as a commercial course will be taught.

The picnic of the Methodist Sabbath school held on Thursday last on the river bank in the Lower Settlement about three miles from town was a grand success. The fine weather and the novelty of a steamboat trip were great attractions. The steamer "Upas" left the lower ferry landing at 10 o'clock with the first party of pleasure seekers, and also left at 12, 2 and 4 o'clock. A large number of people also drove down.

A space had been cleared out under the large trees close to the Steamboat landing, and there the tables were erected and lunch served. Swings were also erected in the woods and races and games were held on the open ground on top of the hill. The last steamboat load of picnickers reached home about 8 o'clock. All were well pleased with the day's proceedings.

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Agricultural Society.

A Meeting of the Agricultural Society will be held at my office on Thursday next the 17th, at 3 o'clock. All officers are requested to attend. Signed M. McCauley.



EYE SPECIALIST.

Dr. J. G. Chamberlain, eye specialist, college graduate of Philadelphia, is expected to arrive in Edmonton and will be at Thomson drug store, August 29, 30 and 31 only. Call and get circulars of recommendation. Mr. Chamberlain has made a life study of the eye and everything which effects the sight, so that he is thoroughly competent to detect any imperfections that may exist in the use of that important and delicate organ. Weakness in the eyes or defects in the vision are often the cause of much unpleasantness, which is usually attributed to other causes, which can be remedied by the use of properly fitted spectacles. Mr. Chamberlain also has the only ophthalmometer in Canada, an instrument by which the defect in the eyesight through ophthalmia is ascertained accurately; and once this is learned the proper means can be applied for its correction.

Academy for Young Ladies.

The Faithful Companions of Jesus have made preparation for their convent of Edmonton to open an academy for young ladies and to receive boarders on the 4th of September, 1893. The course of studies includes all branches of a thorough English and French education. Music, drawing, painting, etc., and other particulars apply at the convent.

MOTHER SUPERIOR.

THE EDMONTON

Fire Brigade Band.

Consisting of 20 pieces is now open to engagements to play at concerts, socials, picnics, etc. Secular or sacred music can be given, as desired. For particulars as to terms etc. apply to A. H. GOODWIN, or A. G. RANDALL, Chairman of board, Secretary.

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and Provisions, Etc.,

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LUMBER.

I have just received quantity of British Columbia flooring, siding and casing, doors, sash, moulding, etc. Expected soon. Patronage solicited. Office and yard near post office. FRANK OSBORNE.

Edmonton Bar Association—

Saturday Closing.

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PUBLIC MEETING.

On Saturday night a largely attended meeting was held at Robertson's hall for the purpose of presenting an address of welcome to the Hon. T. M. Daly minister of the interior on the occasion of his first visit to Edmonton, as well as to afford the farmers of the section an opportunity of bringing their views personally to his attention. The fire brigade band was in attendance and entertained the evening by playing airs both before and at the termination of the proceedings. Much enthusiasm and interest was manifested by those present in all that was said, and the only cut off was caused by the electric light burning out at a critical point during the meeting, and the rain storm which ushered in its close. "There were on the platform A. M. Burgess deputy minister of the interior and Hayter Flood Indian commissioner, who were of the minister of the interior's party, besides several of the speakers.

Mr. McCauley the mayor presided, and took the chair precisely at eight o'clock amid cheers. After introducing the minister of the interior he made a short speech in the course of which he said there was a time when he had come to regard all cabinet ministers as statesmen and figures heads; who were fixed in one position and unapproachable. Since meeting Mr. Daly, however, he had come to think different—there was nothing very dreadful or standoff about him. They had been looking for the minister to visit Edmonton a long time—now that he had come they must make the most of his being there. It was to be a farmers meeting—they were there to state their views and the minister was there to hear what they had to say. It was the duty of the minister so far as lay in his power to meet their views and redress their grievances. He thought Mr. Daly would do the very best for them he possibly could.

The following address was then read:
"THE HONORABLE THOMAS MAYNE DALY,
Minister of the Interior.

Sir,

It was with an especial pleasure that we, the inhabitants of the town of Edmonton and the surrounding country, learned of your intended visit to this District in your official capacity as Minister of the Interior.

The Northwest Territories, being, as all know under the special care of your department it was gratifying to us that you should immediately after your acceptance of office consider it your duty to make yourself personally acquainted with the places and the people who must look especially to you for the satisfying of those public necessities which are continually coming into existence by reason of the rapid development of the country.

Now that you have arrived among us we wish to welcome you cordially and to express at the same time our belief of the fitness of your appointment to the high and honorable office of Minister of the Interior of Canada—a belief which prevails generally we think by reason of your statesmanlike course during the short interval since your appointment.

Hereafter we shall find that when occasion arises, as occasion must of necessity frequently arise in your official capacity and ask for a remedy we shall be addressing our wish to your personal knowledge of the locality and its conditions is able to appreciate our position with all its circumstances and thus inspire full confidence in the appropriateness of the remedy applied.

We again cordially welcome you amongst us.

Mr. Daly on rising to reply thanked the mayor and said it was a pleasure for them to present the address, it was indeed a pleasure for him to receive it. He was afraid however they were flattering him. One thing he would like them to know and believe that he was a Northwest man and had their very best interests at heart—namely, the development and the settling up of the great and fertile territory of which Edmonton was but a small part. Feeling it was his duty as minister of the interior to inform himself by personal observation and personal study of the requirement and condition of the country, the welfare of which for the time being he was responsible for, he had undertaken this trip. His jurisdiction was a large one—extending over a vast extent of land, but though he imagined he knew how vast this was, never until now had he realized it. He was appalled at the enormous undeveloped area lying to the north and west of Edmonton, rich in possibilities and wealth beyond ordinary conception. It was his duty and his charge to do the utmost to people this great country which in the future was bound to add so much to the prosperity and fame of the Dominion—to the prosperity of those who had the pluck and the energy to pioneer their way into its midst. He had been told by some that the vigorous policy which he had announced when taking office would be pursued towards the settling up of the great Northwest, had not yet been carried out. Now he would say, even then he did not mean that one or two years could do it—and now since he had seen it with his own eyes and travelled through it from the province of Manitoba to the Pacific coast he would have them understand that they must not expect too much. That it was the work of years, of hard grinding work—of persistent effort to people within a decade so enormous a region, and it would take a man of far greater ability than himself to accomplish it in anything less. Every attention on the part of himself and the government was being paid to immigration. He was pleased to say their efforts were telling day by day and he was sure that another two years would show it. He was pleased to know that those who had already come into the country were doing well—had been received well by the people here and that they approved of the class of emigration that was coming in. He believed he was right in saying they could if they had chosen practically filled the country by emigration from the continent of Europe—but a large part of the people they were able to

get were of a class the residents of the Northwest did not want among them. It was the quality of those who came into the country rather than the quantity his department was looking at. It was their intention to see that none come in who could not for the first year look after themselves through the four or five months of winter. He did not intend to bring people in who would be dependent on those who had come in before them. He and the agents working under him were trying to get in a class of people with sufficient means to give the country a good fair trial—who could bring with them or purchase a few of the necessary implements and stock to begin farming with. From information supplied to him from time to time by various agents of the government in different parts of the States, he had no hesitation in saying they could if they wish depopulate whole counties—but they would be people without means, and he for one would rather get one good settler in who was in a position to start fairly then ten or twenty who had nothing to begin with, yet had families depending on them for support. Before coming here he had heard a great deal spoken about the Edmonton district—in fact he might say it had excited the jealousy of Manitoba. What he had seen of it, and the country adjacent to it—certainly bore out all he had been told about Northern Alberta. He had never seen finer farming land anywhere, and there was enough of it to support many thousands of happy homes. Referring to that portion of the address which said that the people of Edmonton, should necessarily arise wherein a remedy of some state of affairs was necessary, would feel they were addressing one who knew the condition of the locality, he said they might be assured, he would when called upon endeavor to meet the occasion—and though he might not have the power to do all they asked of him, he would lay their wishes before his colleagues of the government who would give them due consideration. Mr. Daly then sat down and the mayor introduced Mr. P. C. Hamilton of Beaver Hills, secretary of the patrons of industry.

Mr. Hamilton who addressed himself to the minister of the interior—said he was there to call the minister's attention to the grievances the farmers of the country justly believed they were laboring under in respect to the high tariff on binding twine, coal oil, barbed wire and farm machinery. He said it was a well known fact that they had to pay considerably more for those articles than they could afford, and that the government was protecting the manufacturers at the expense of the farmers—also he thought no one would deny they represented the greater part of the population of the Dominion. He also spoke of the duty on American machinery and argued if it was allowed to come into the country it would have the effect of cheapening Canadian machinery thereby lifting one of the burdens the farmers were laboring under.

Robert McKernan, of South Edmonton who came next, spoke of the need of an experimental farm for Northern Alberta. He said it was necessary they should be in a position to show visitors to the country just what the soil and the climate was capable of doing with proper care and attention. He said even on his own farm the products he raised, there excelled in every way the products grown on the experimental farms at Brandon and Indian Head. He thought this showed indisputably that the climate and soil of Alberta was superior to that of Manitoba.

At this stage, the attention of the meeting was taken up, by the appearance on the scene of a gentleman whose name we are unable to give—but who on the authority of the minister himself—we will designate as the "Irishman from Utah." Addressing himself to Mr. Daly—he described forcibly, very forcibly, how he had come here in the search of a home. How he had seen a country better and richer than any he had ever set eyes on before—but when he wanted to take up land near the town he could not do so because he was told it was on the Indian reserve. Why he asked, why was he obliged to go out into what he termed the wilderness, away from civilization, when there was so much good land laying idle near hand? He would have continued, but not being on the programme for an address the chairman suggested he should reserve his remarks till later in the evening.

Mr. Daniel Maloney of St. Albert next spoke. He endorsed all that Mr. Kernan had said about the great need of an experimental farm for this section of the country. He agreed that inasmuch as the Government had established two experimental farms, namely Brandon and Indian Head when one might have done. As what would one grow in one part of Manitoba would grow on the other—they were surely entitled to establish a farm in a section of the country when the climate, condition and the soil was so entirely different. He hoped the Minister would see the force of them and use his best endeavors to bring it about.

Murdoch McLeod of Belmont, pointed out that they were just as good a country to the North of Edmonton and Peace River as the country immediately surrounding the town, and that men could be found to develop those parts in the same way that Edmonton had been developed. He did not wish the Minister to go away with the impression that what he had driven through was all the good land they had got.

F. Fraser Times of Fort Saskatchewan directed Mr. Daly's attention to the urgent need of a land office at Beaver Lake. He pointed out to the Minister that the Beaver Lake District contained nearly two thirds of all the lands available for settlement in the vicinity of Edmonton. He said that the want of an office there was severely felt by incoming settlers and the cause of complaint by many. He urged that a sub land office should be established there at the earliest possible moment. Speaking of the development of the valley of the Saskatchewan. He referred to the fact that the C. P. R. had since 1889 controlled the largest portion of the land in Northern Alberta, there by preventing the construction of the North West Central Railway, or the possibility of any other railway coming in. He asked what the C. P. R. had done to develop this portion of the country, and said that the Government should lend assistance to any corporation willing to put one through. He expressed a wish that the Minister could make the drive from Edmonton to Battleford as he would then see some of the choicest country to be found in the North West.

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ing of a bridge across the Saskatchewan. Edmonton was the Commercial Emporium and the gateway to the vast and fertile region that stretches away to the North of it. The railway terminating as it did now on the South side of the River was a barrier and drawback to the settling up of the country that lay beyond. The minister was charged with the development of that country and the first step in that direction was the building of the bridge across the Saskatchewan. Not only would the bridge be the pioneer movement towards the opening up of the immense Mackenzie region which contained an area equal to one third of the whole Dominion of Canada, but it would undoubtedly be the means of settling up that part of Alberta, of which the minister had travelled through to day and spoken so highly of. If the bridge was made a railway bridge as well as a traffic bridge, instead of the Saskatchewan being a bar to emigrants as it was at present, they would then have the fullest facility for entering, and settling in a country, the finest the minister had seen in any part of the North West Territories and Manitoba outside of the Red River Valley.

Dr. Wilson president of the liberal conservative association—said that when the government granted a charter to the Calgary & Edmonton railway company, they were derelict in their duty by not providing in that charter that the railway should cross the river at Edmonton. He thought on that account the government owed them a bridge—and he should be against the people of Edmonton contributing one cent towards the building of it. The government had been using the name of Edmonton to boom the North West with—and it was only right they should should pay for using that name. Edmonton had been brought to the state he now found it, and the country adjacent developed entirely through the pluck and go of those who from the first had pinned their faith to it—and without one cent of government money. He thought if the government did not build a bridge it would be a lasting disgrace to them. Speaking of the two towns—Edmonton and South Edmonton—he thought the time had come when by the erecting of government buildings in one or the other, the question which was to be the capital of Northern Alberta should be finally settled. Referring to the judicial district—he said the present one was a very large and cumbersome one and although he was not as well posted on that question as the lawyers would be—if by dividing it into two the law costs would be reduced he would certainly advocate it. The area of the electoral district he considered was also too large and the interest so diversified, that it would defy even the ability of the minister himself to properly attend to it. Besides they claimed sufficient population to justify entitle them to another representative.

N. D. Beck crown prosecutor was called upon to speak. He pointed out very clearly the necessity that existed for a new judicial district, and the advantage and convenience it would be. He explained the steps that had been taken towards securing it, and said in regard to a court house the matter had already been placed before Sir John Thompson, who was favorably disposed towards it. The reason that the matter had not been pushed more, was because he felt the question of the bridge should come first, and feared that if the court house was pushed too much, it might retard both.

S. S. Taylor being also called upon, said he was pleased to see the minister of the interior at Edmonton. It was usual on such occasions to cover up and smooth over any grievances that might exist. He was glad to see on this occasion everybody had spoken out, and the minister he thought would not leave here without being thoroughly cognizant of what the people of this section considered to be their dues. If he should feel the list was so long that it would require a special session of the house to deal with them, he would remind the minister it was because they had been allowed to pile up and none of them attended to before. He assured the minister the establishment of a new judicial district would be of great direct convenience to the people—but whether or no it would reduce the law costs, he was not prepared to say. The people were also looking with good grounds to the government for the necessary assistance towards the construction of a railway east and west, which would develop the Saskatchewan valley throughout its length and breadth. After Mr. Taylor had finished speaking—the minister of the interior rose to reply.

First he said—he would address himself to the patrons of industry. With reference to reducing the present price of binding twine, coal oil, bar wire and farm machinery as brought forward by Mr. Hamilton—many of them were doubtless aware that the question had for some time been engaging the attention of his colleagues of the government under the heading of tariff reform. He was pleased to say they would shortly have among them both the minister of finance, and the minister of agriculture, who were soon to start out on a tour through the North West and would visit Edmonton. These were subjects that lay directly within the jurisdiction of those gentlemen, and he was glad they would have the opportunity to make known to them where the shoe pinched. He would assure them that the government had no desire to shirk their duty, and he had come personally to discuss the wants of the farmers with them. An experimental farm for Alberta, he recognized was a necessity. Those of Manitoba had been of great benefit to the country. He had thoroughly gone into the subject and had thoroughly gone into the subject and had the great faith in them. He would endorse the establishing of one in Northern Alberta. Without posing himself as a practical farmer there was a word of advice he wanted to give them—and which he felt qualified to give inasmuch as for years he had been in touch with the farmers of Manitoba—had watched their methods and knew how they stood. It was not to launch out to large and attempt to put in more crop than they could take off, and not to depend exclusively on the raising of grain. He was convinced by observation that mixed farming paid the best. In Manitoba those farmers who made the most money were the ones who went in for stock and pigs and other things, did not sow all wheat or all oats. Touching upon the reason why a court house had not been built before, it was because the government had not known where to build it. It was only two years since the railway had reached Edmonton—before that time there were other claimants for it as well. The government had learnt by better experience the folly of building in one place, when the railway might skip it and go to another. He agreed with them that they needed a court house, and he thought their was every

possibility of them having one in the near future. Referring to the Calgary and Edmonton railway, this was a lasting monument to the persistent efforts of the North West Territories in the Dominion Parliament. It was wrong to say the government would not assist railways to come in. But for the help they had given to the Calgary and Edmonton railway by a land grant of so many acres per mile and a money subsidy it would never have been built. Coming to the all important question of a bridge for the town—that was a need he had long been cognizant of. At the last session of parliament, a sum of \$50,000 had been placed in the estimates towards erecting one at Edmonton, but there were so many demands on the funds at the time, it had to be dropped out. He assured them in the next session, when the budget was made up, a sum sufficient to build a bridge would be allowed and he hoped the next time he visited Edmonton, he would be able to cross the river, on one erected entirely at the government expense. He was alive to the great country which stretched away to the north of them—and its rich mineral deposits—but the reason the government has not turned their attention to it was because they believed first in developing the territory nearer home. Touching on the subject of the electoral and judicial district, the government he said were alive to the need of a change. He did not know why it was, but he found the people in Southern Alberta were just as anxious to get away from them as the people of Northern Alberta were. He thought before another year past, there would be two districts and two judges. He had no doubt at the next election there would be a redistribution of seats on the basis of population, and increased representation would naturally go to the section that had the increase of people. In regard to his friend the Irishman from Utah, he supposed he alluded to the reserve know as the Papaschasse reserve on the south side of the Saskatchewan. This reserve was now unoccupied as the band had dwindled down, and the government had induced the remnant to go to another reserve. By the terms of the Indian treaty this land belonged to the Indians, and the government were only agents in the matter, and as agents sold the land and funded the money for the benefit of the Indians. They had sold last year a portion of the land, but the sale had happened to take place at a time when the weather was unfavorable. Another sale would take place in the fall. The government were also considering the question of selling the land at upset prices. In either case it would be sold on the terms the C. P. R. sold their land—one-tenth down the balance in 9 equal instalments, with interest at 6%. The minister concluded by a tribute to the ladies who were present and the meeting closed, the band playing the national anthem.

The Duke of York has announced that it is his desire that the money collected by seamen and marines of the British navy and presented to him and Princess May on the occasion of their wedding, be added to the fund for the relief of the families of the victims of the Victoria disaster. If the money is not needed for the Victoria fund it is to be invested for the benefit of the widows and other relatives of naval men dying in the service of their country.

The Regina races held on August 9th resulted as follows:—3 minute trot, 1st, Mabel Sharp, by Sharper; 2nd, Scyllax Maid. Pony race, 1st, Jo Jo; 2nd, Happy Jack. Half mile open, 1st, Miss Taxi; 2nd, Blair Athol; 3rd, Randall. A lot of money was dropped on this race. Betting was 2 to 1 in favor of Blair Athol. Two-year-old trot, Ramona 1st; Reverie 2nd. The polo match between Calgary and Grenfell was won by Calgary by seven goals to nothing.

Advices from Alaska states that the survey of the boundary line between Alaska and Canada is being vigorously pushed up to the Taku inlet, the triangulation for thirty marine miles from the mouth has been finished and the American party have removed to the Stickeen river. The Canadian survey party is on the Onook river; and has been delayed in its photographic work on its account of bad weather.

The Great Northern railway has just published a fine new map of its road and connections, which it is distributing to business men who have use for it. The map shows the country from Lake Michigan to the Pacific ocean, and from Prince Albert in Saskatchewan to Southern Illinois and the central portion of Kansas and Colorado.

Senator Perley says he has made arrangements to have each foreign commissioner at the World's fair visit the Canadian Territorial department and get all possible information regarding this country.

Reports from the Pacific say that sealing there is not up to last years record. The coast catch this season is fully 30 per cent less.

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THE BULLETIN is read more generally throughout the Edmonton district than any other paper.

If you want to do business in the Edmonton district you can reach more of the people with a less expenditure of money through the advertising columns of the BULLETIN than by any other means.

Fair advertising rates charged, and like rates to all parties.

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THE BULLETIN Printing office is second to none in the Territories. Only first-class type, machinery and paper employed. Printing of all kinds done promptly, neatly and cheaply. Call and see samples of work, and get prices before ordering your printing elsewhere.

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The local newspaper represents the district in which it is published to the outside world.

Support your home paper liberally if it deserves support, so that it can give the best possible impression of your town and district as a field for immigration and investment.

There is big money for a new town in having a live and interesting paper.

THE BULLETIN Fills the Bill.

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SUBSCRIBE FOR IT.

ADVERTISE IN IT.

Get Your Printing Done by it.

In Helping the BULLETIN You

Are Helping Yourself.

CROCKERY!! GLASSWARE

Just Arrived The Largest and Best Selected Stock of Crockery and Glassware in Edmonton, Consisting of Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets, Jugs, Teapots, Pickle Jars, Fruit Dishes, Self Sealing Preserve Jars in Pints, Quarts and Half gallons, Water sets, Table Sets, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, in fact almost Everything required in these lines. INSPECTION INVITED.

JOHN CAMERON. SUMMER KEEP COOL!

LADIES BLOUSES, LACE FLOUNCINGS, MUSLIN FLOUNCES, DRESS MUSLINS AND LAWS.

—Health Brand Ladies Underwear—Summer Weight.—

Fans in great variety.

Men's Linen Coats, usual price \$2.25 will be sold at 75c. each. See them.

—SUNSHADES AND UMBRELLAS.—

HUDSON'S BAY CO., Edmonton.

FITZGERALD & LUCAS.

AGENTS FOR SALE OF Financial Commission. Insurance & Real Estate Agents, Auctioneers and Notaries.

OFFICES: Opposite New Post Office, Jasper Avenue, Edmonton. Stephen Avenue, Calgary, ALTA. Pedigreed Leicester Sheep, Short Horn Bull, and Clyde Mares, for Sale Cheap.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE!

LADIES AND CHILDREN'S Hosiery, Millinery, Sun Hats and Bonnets. Also Girls School Hats. —STRONG, DURABLE, CHEAP.—

GEO. H. WHARTON, Fraser Avenue.

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AGENTS Edmonton Milling Co., [L'd.]

Whose Patent Process and Strong Baker's flour, as now manufactured cannot be excelled. Satisfaction guaranteed or money returned.

Give the home production a trial and be convinced of its superiority.

Patronize home industries and keep the money in circulation here—don't send to Lethbridge for coal or Winnipeg for flour.

BRAN, SHORTS, OATS, OATMEAL, POTATOES

FOR SALE.

CITY DELIVERY. TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

BROWN & CURRY,

DRY GOODS,

Clothing,

Boots and Shoes,

Groceries,

and Provisions, Etc.,

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MAPS OF EDMONTON.

A limited number of Lithographed maps of the Town of Edmonton for sale at \$2 a piece.

JAS. McDONALD, Real Estate Agent.

THE EDMONTON

Real Estate & Investment Co. [L'd.]

Head Office Edmonton and

branches at SOUTH EDMONTON AND WETASKIWIN.

(The Quebec Fire Insurance Company, Established 1815.

AGENTS FOR: The Eastern Assurance Co. of Canada.

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Agents for the sale of Town Lots at EDMONTON, SOUTH EDMONTON, LEDUC AND WETASKIWIN.

Choice Farming and Grazing land in each district for sale at low prices and upon easy terms.

H. C. LISLE, President.

P. DALY, Director.

Fort Saskatchewan ALBERTA.

F. Fraser Tims,

GENERAL COMMISSION, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE BROKER.

AGENT FOR:

Several Fire Insurance Companies.

Insurance effected in Town or County at lowest rates.

MANAGER FOR:

Fort Saskatchewan Townsite property.

Price of Lots from \$50 to \$200.

Free site given to Roller Process flour mill, or any other manufacturing industry.

Business men looking for openings will find this a good point.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

Improved and Unimproved farms close to the Townsite.

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Anyone visiting Northern Al-

berta, should come and see

Fort Saskatchewan

